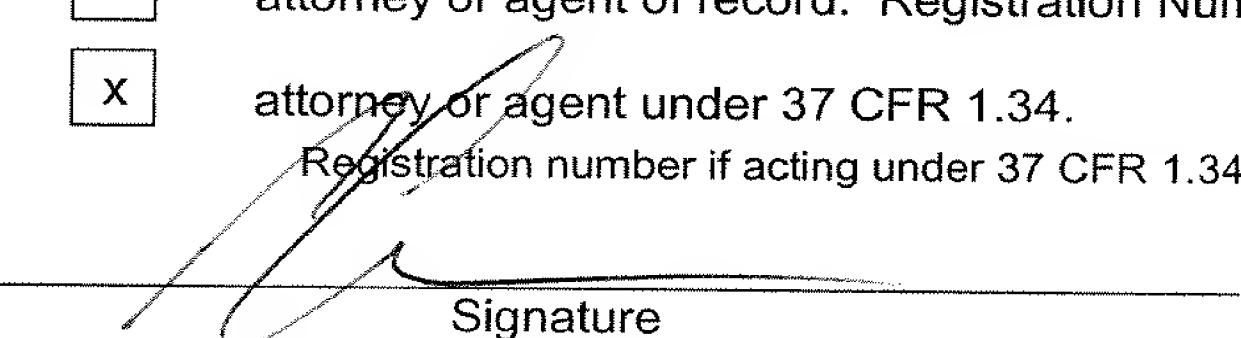


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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2006 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)		Docket Number (Optional) 29757/AG32-CIP		
Application Number	09/864,927-Conf. #2424	Filed May 24, 2001		
For	METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR GAMING MACHINES WITH A TOURNAMENT PLAY BONUS FEATURE			
Art Unit	3714	Examiner D. Nguyen		
This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.				
The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):				
<input type="checkbox"/>	One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	Fee \$120	Small Entity Fee \$60	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/>	Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	Fee \$450	Small Entity Fee \$225	\$ _____
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	Fee \$1020	Small Entity Fee \$510	\$ 1,020.00
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<input type="checkbox"/>	Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	Fee \$2160	Small Entity Fee \$1080	\$ _____
<input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.				
<input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.				
<input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number <u>13-2855</u> .				
I am the <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor.				
<input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).				
<input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record. Registration Number _____				
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34. Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34 <u>38,851</u>				
 Signature				
May 14, 2007 Date				
Paul C. Craane Typed or printed name				
(312) 474-6300 Telephone Number				
NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.				
<input type="checkbox"/>	Total of <u>1</u> forms are submitted.			